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1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Relating to the establishment of  
6 a hospital at Andreafsky.

7 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

8 WHEREAS the people in the Andreafsky area have no hospital and need to  
9 fly to Bethel for medical care; and

10 WHEREAS bad weather lasting sometimes for several weeks often prohibits  
11 flights out of Andreafsky; and

12 WHEREAS these facts seriously endanger the life and health of the people  
13 of the Andreafsky area especially in emergency cases;

14 BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Native Health Service of the U. S. Public  
15 Health Service is requested to establish and operate a hospital near the  
16 airport at Andreafsky.

17 COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable William H.  
18 Stewart, Surgeon General of the U. S. Public Health Service, Dr. Holman R.  
19 Wherritt, Area Medical Officer, Alaska Native Health Service; and the  
20 Honorable E. L. Bartlett and the Honorable Ernest Gruening, U. S. Senators,  
21 and the Honorable Howard W. Pollock, U. S. Representative, members of the  
22 Alaska delegation in Congress and the Alaska Department of Health and  
23 Welfare.

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